

TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

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NOTICE OF THIRD PUBLIC HEARING

DOCKET: 04-00211

IN RE: Tennessee Regulatory Authority Rulemaking to Amend Chapter 1220-4-2-.43 through .54, Known as Pay Telephone Rules

DATE: January 14, 2005

A Notice of Rulemaking, together with proposed rule amendments, was filed by the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("Authority") with the Tennessee Department of State on July 30, 2004. Such Notice was published in the August 2004 issue of the Tennessee Administrative Register. A Rulemaking Hearing was conducted by the Authority pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. §§ 4-5-202 and 65-2-102 *et seq.*, on October 11, 2004. The record was held open until October 25, 2004 for the filing of additional written comments. Comments continued to be received after October 25, 2004, by representatives of inmates and their families.

A second public Hearing was held on Monday, January 10, 2005, to allow oral comments from members of the public including inmate representatives or their families. During the January 10, 2005 Hearing the Directors voted unanimously to convene a third hearing for the purpose of addressing issues concerning the quality and cost of payphone service provided to correctional facilities in the State of Tennessee.

A third public Hearing will be held on **Monday, January 31, 2005** immediately following the regularly scheduled Authority Conference at **1:00 p.m.** in the Hearing Room of the Authority on the Ground Floor at 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, Tennessee.

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